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1. EMBASSY CONVEYED MR. TRAIN'S ACCEPTANCE OF INVITATION TO SPEAK AT LUNCHEON JULY 2 TO ACCJ. ACCJ, MUCH LIKE CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE IN US, CONSISTS OF AMERICAN BUSINESSMEN AND JAPANESE REPRESENTATIVES OF VARIOUS TYPES OF US SERVICE AND INDUSTRIAL COMPANIES. FOR USE IN ITS MAILING TO MEMBERS, ACCJ REQUESTS BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION ON MR. TRAIN, A PHOTOGRAPH, AND COPY OF ANY APPROPRIATE ARTICLE OR INTERVIEW AVAILABLE. ABOUT 1,000 COPIES ARE

NEEDED TO COVER COMPLETE ACCJ MEMBERSHIP, BUT ARTICLE AND PHOTOGRAPH CAN BE REPRODUCED HERE IF COPIES ARE NOT AVAILABLE IN BULK. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING TITLE OF TRAIN'S TALK AND OYV MATERIAL BY JUNE 16. AS ACCJ INVITATIONS SHOULD BE MAILED THAT WEEK.

2. AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY ADVISES THAT CASH ADVANCES CANNOT BE MADE AGAINST AN ACCOUNT UNLESS CARD HOLDER APPEARS IN PERSON. JAPANESE RAILWAYS ACCEPT ONLY CASH. EMBASSY SUGGESTS MR. TRAIN SEND A PERSONAL CHECK OR OTHER MEANS OF PAYMENT DIRECTLY TO DOUGLAS B. MCNEAL, US EMBASSY TOKYO, APO SAN FRANCISCO 96503. CHARGE FOR ROUND TRIP TRAIN TICKETS FROM TOKYO TO NIKKO FOR FOUR IS ABOUT \$37. MR. TRAIN MIGHT WANT TO CONSIDER HAVING BI-LINGUAL CALLING CARDS (A JAPANESE CUSTOM) UNCLASSIFIED

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OTHER CHARGES ARE ANTICIPATED PRIOR TO TRAINS' ARRIVAL IN TOKYO.

- 3. AN ADDITIONAL RESERVATION FOR ESCORT/DRIVER HAS BEEN MADE AT KOKUSAI SADO KANKO YAWATAKAN AND SADO PARK HOTEL FOR NIGHTS OF JUNE 20-21 AND AT KANKA-SO IN NARA FOR NIGHT OF JUNE 22, CHARGES RANGING FROM 7,000 TO 10,000 YEN. NAMES OF ESCORT/DRIVER IN BOTH PLACES WILL BE TRANSMITTED WHEN DETERMINED.
- 4. NIKKO RESERVATIONS AT ICHIRYUKAKU BEKKAN HAVE BEEN CHAMGED AS REQUESTED. EMBASSY WILL ARRANGE TRAIN TICKETS TOKYO-NIKKO ON JUNE 29 AND NIKKO-TOKYO ON JULY 1. SHOULD EMBASSY HIRE A CAR FOR JUNE 29 TO JULY 1, OR HAVE TRAINS MADE ARRANGEMENTS FOR TRANSPORTATION IN NIKKO?
- 5. PALACE HOTEL RESERVATIONS HUVE BEEN CANCELLED AS REQUESTED.
- 6. AEROFLOT FLIGHT 695 IS SCHEDULED TO ARRIVE IN NIIGATA AT TWO PM INSTEAD OF 4:10 PM AS MENTIONED IN REFTEL. THIS WILL MAKE IT POSSIBLE FOR THE TRAINS TO FLY TO SADO FROM NIIGATA. LAST PLANE THAT DAY IS SCHEDULED TO TAKE OFF AT 1550.
- 7. ARRANGEMENTS ARE BEING MADE FOR AMBASSADOR'S DINNER ON JUOY 2 AS SUGGESTED IN REFTEL (A).
- 8. EMBOFFS WILL CONTACT NHK-TV TO COORDINATE INTERVIEW FOR MR. TRAIN ON "STUDIO 102." HODGSON

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